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Status of the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others

Note by the Secretary-General

1. As at 1 February 1993, the Convention for the Suppression of the Traffic in Persons and of the Exploitation of the Prostitution of Others had been ratified or acceded to by the following 63 States: Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Argentina, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Congo, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Guinea, Haiti, Hungary, India, Iraq, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Luxembourg, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mexico, Morocco, Niger, Norway, Pakistan, Philippines, Poland,

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Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Seychelles, Singapore, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, Ukraine, Venezuela, Yeman.

2. The Convention had been signed by Myanmar, Denmark, Honduras, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Liberia.

3. Ratification, accession, approval, notification and succession, acceptance or definite signature had been given also by the former German Democratic Republic before reunification, the former Czech and Slovak Federal Republic and by the Former Yugoslavia.